

REMARKS

Remaining Claims

Claims 1-17 remain pending in this application through this Amendment. Claims 9 and 17 have been amended herein. As explained in more detail below, Applicant submits that all claims are in condition for allowance and respectfully requests such action.

Rejection of Claims 9 and 17 under 35 USC §112, first paragraph

Claim 9 and 17 stand rejected under 35 USC §112, first paragraph, as containing subject matter which was not described in the specification in such a way as to enable one skilled in the art to which it pertains, or with which it is most nearly connected, to make and/or use the invention.

Claim 9 was amended to correctly recite the limitation that Claim 9 is dependent from the "method of Claim 8" to correct the antecedent basis deficiency.

Claim 17 was amended to state "and configured to switch a call connection from an address associated with the 802.1x cellular network to an address associated with the ~~cellular~~ 802.1x network when the first logic determines that a call handoff is to occur from the cellular network to the 802.1x network." Applicant believes that this amendment corrects the antecedent basis deficiency.

Rejection of Claims 1 - 17 under 35 USC §102 – Jagadeesan et al.

Claims 1 - 17 are rejected under 35 USC §102(e) as being anticipated by Jagadeesan et al. (Pub No. US 20050059400).

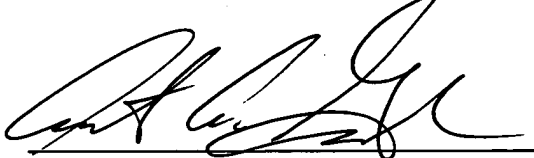
Applicant respectfully traverses this rejection.

Applicant asserts that the inventor of the present application conceived and reduced the invention to practice in the United States prior to the effective date of the Jagadeesan et al. reference, which is believed to be September 12, 2003. Applicant has filed herewith a 37 C.F.R. §1.131 declaration setting forth facts sufficient to show that the present invention was invented in the United States prior to the effective date of the cited reference.

CONCLUSION

For the reasons set forth above, it is respectfully submitted that all pending claims are now in condition for allowance, and Applicant requests a Notice of Allowance be issued in this case. Should there be any further questions or concerns, the Examiner is urged to telephone the undersigned to expedite prosecution.

Respectfully submitted,
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